

## Jimmy Carter Library & Museum News Release

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## **Carter Library to Host Student Photo Exhibition**

Student Photographers Create Unforgettable Images

Atlanta, GA. - On Tuesday, August 29, the Jimmy Carter Library and Museum opens a very special student exhibition -- Pace Academy's 30-piece photography show, Developing Conscience: The Invisible Americans. This unique exhibition showcases the talents of ten student photographers and includes unforgettable images from the Atlanta immigrant community, displaced hurricane Katrina survivors, and the veteran homeless population.

To celebrate the opening of this exhibition, the Carter Library will host a reception on Tuesday, August 29 from 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. The reception is by reservation only. Space is limited so please call 404-865-7126 for reservations by Monday, August 21.

The Carter Library presents **Developing Conscience**, along with the Smithsonian exhibition **Diana Walker: Photojournalist**. Walker was a White House photographer for a quarter-century. Her photographs captured not only moments of official Washington, but also the private, unguarded moments of the First Family. Together, these two exhibitions cover a broad spectrum of American life, from the most powerful leaders in the world to the refugees, the poor, the unseen.

During their eight months of preparation for the Developing Conscience exhibition, the ten Pace Academy students met and interviewed refugees from Kurdistan, Iraq, Ethiopia, Somalia, Liberia, Iran, Eritrea, and the Democratic Republic of Congo. They documented conditions in the storm-torn neighborhoods of New Orleans, and photographed the homeless in the Atlanta VA hospital's rehabilitation programs. The result of this project is much more than the series of pictures; it is a photographic narrative of lives transformed.

The Carter Presidential Museum is open Monday through Saturday from 9 am until 4:45 p.m. and Sunday from noon until 4:45 p.m. Admission is \$8 for adults; \$6 for seniors (60+), military and students with ids. Those 16 and under are free. Parking at the Carter Center is free.

For more information, call 404-865-7100 or visit www.jimmycarterlibrary.org